#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

### PROGRAM UPDATES

### 2008

## Fall 2008

- Committee and Board Meeting Dates for 2008-2009
- Kentucky Going Card-Less
- Application for Licensure by Examination Available On-line
- Annual Report
- Educator Orientation Sessions for 2008-2009 Academic Year
- Check Your Program Information on the KBN Web Site
- **♣** New Website

## Spring 2008

- NCLEX Test Booklets for Students
- Clinical Internship
- ♣ Summary of 2007 Kentucky Programs of Nursing Annual Report Results
- **4** 2008 Education Summit

## 2007

### October 2007

- Graduation Honor Cords from NSNA
- **♣** Student Nurse Errors Circumstantial
- Education Regulation Update
- **4** Time Off
- **♣** 2<sup>nd</sup> Kentucky Nurse Educator Conference: Making a Difference! May 16, 2008

# September 2007

- **KNAR Validations**
- **♣** On-Line validation of Application Status
- **♣** 2008 NCLEX-PN Test Plan
- **♣** Class of 2011
- ♣ Ideas of Sim-Man
- Baccalaureate Degree Prelicensure Programs of Nursing
- ♣ Associate Degree Prelicensure Programs of Nursing
- Practical Nursing Prelicensure Programs

### August 2007

- Nurse Licensure Compact Affects Nurse Faculty and Students
- Program Administrators Orientation
- Submission of Materials for Education Committee Review
- Status of Education Regulation Revision
- ♣ Non-Testers on NCLEX

## March 2007

- Calculating Pass Rates for 2007
- Essential Nursing Competencies and Curricula Guidelines for Genetics & Genomics
- **♣** Who will teach the nurses we need?
- ♣ ACT Composite Score

## February 2007

- NCLEX-RN® Examination Passing Standard Revised for Public Safety
- ♣ Back issues of the Updates are Available on the Internet
- **♣** Integrated Practicum: Placement and Credit in the Curriculum and Use of Preceptors
- Excelsior Lawsuit—Interesting case
- ♣ Nurse Faculty/Clinical Instructor Forms
- ♣ NLN Excellence Model for Nursing Education
- Education Program Summary Reports

#### 2006

## January-February 2006

- Clinical Courses Grading Practices Survey
- **4** Administrative Regulations Updates
- Research and Scholarship Day

### March 2006

- NCSBN Position Statements
- **4** Students Attending Board and Committee Meetings
- ♣ Nurse/Physician Collegiality
- ♣ KBN Annual Report 2004-2005 (see copy under PON Resources/Past KBN Annual Reports)
- Lividence Based Practice Care Sheets: Available Through CINAHL
- ♣ NCSBN Reviews for the NCLEX-PN® & NCLEX-RN® Examinations (online courses)

### April 2006

- **♣** Kentucky Enters the Compact
- Certified List Update
- ♣ 1<sup>st</sup> Kentucky Nurse Educator Conference
- **♣** On-Live Verification of License & Abuse Registry
- KBN Fee Update

### August 2006

- Welcome back!
- **♣** NCLEX Communication with Graduates
- New Administrators Orientation
- ♣ Visit the Board at the State Fair
- New Universal Nursing Application: No More Notary or Picture
- Please Distribute materials We Send!
- ♣ A Special Hello to New Administrators

- Annual Report
- Evidence-Based E-Learning for Nurse Educators
- ♣ Nurse Practice Acts CE Courses

#### October 2006

- Students & Faculty Are Invited
- Joint Statement on Delegation
- Who is Considered Clinical Faculty?
- Role Delineation Course
- Incentive Scholarship
- 4 "Nursing Schools Short on Teachers" from USA Today, Oct. 4, 2006

### November 2006

- **♣** 2005-2006 NCLEX Pass Rates
- Individual Student NCLEX Results
- Faculty & Clinical Instructor License Status
- ♣ Save the Date: 2007 Kentucky Board of Nursing Regulatory Conference
- Calling All Faculty—NCLEX Development Opportunities
- Preceptor Certificates
- Preceptored Experiences—How many students can a faculty member monitor?
- NCLEX-RN Examination—Effective April 2007

#### December 2006

- 4 "Promise of Nursing" Regional Faculty Fellowship Now Available
- Nursing Applications for Graduates
- ♣ Did Everyone Renew??
- Verifying Nursing Licenses

#### 2005

## January 2005

- Preceptorship Validation Form
- **♣** KBN 2005 Conference
- ♣ 2005: Admission Requirements and Check-In Process for NCLEX
- **♣** Integrated Practicum Scheduling Clarification
- Message for the New Year
- "I Wish You Enough"

# February 2005

- "Program Alert is now "Program Update"
- **KNA** Call for Abstracts for Poster Presentation
- **♣** Tomorrow's Professor
- Criminal Background Concerns by Nursing Students
- **♣** 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Care for the Dying Conference
- ♣ Nursing Education Cabinet—Research Utilization Award
- ♣ Nursing Education and Research Cabinet—Nurse Researcher Award

- Nursing Education Cabinet—Innovative Teaching Award
- ♣ Faculty List for Spring Semester 2005

## March 2005

- Journal of Undergraduate Nursing Scholarship
- ♣ Nursing Programs Without Waiting Lists
- Criminal Codes: What is a Felony vs. a Misdemeanor?
- ♣ Kentucky Program of Nursing Data from Annual Reports

## April-May 2005

- Assistance Needed
- Certified Lists
- ♣ NCLEX Program Codes-Kentucky
- Feel Free to Forward This Update
- Education Summit Planned
- Announcements
- ♣ Blogs Anyone?—The potential use of "Blogs" in Nursing Education
- ♣ NURSING...Multiple Education Choices—Unlimited Career Potential
- Nursing Continuing Education/Compliance—2005

### July 2005

- Programs of Nursing Annual Report
- ♣ What's In a Name?
- Pearson Vue Call Centers
- ♣ Another NCLEX Tid-Bit
- Qualifications for Clinical Instructors
- ♣ Kentucky Nursing Laws What You Don't Know...Can Hurt You
- Program Administrator Orientation Dates for 2005-2006
- **4** Education Committee Annual Report

# September 2005

- ♣ Welcome Back!
- ♣ Nursing Faculty & Clinical Instructors for Fall 2005
- NCLEX Pass Rates
- ♣ Best In Care—Loan Forgiveness for Nursing Faculty
- **♣** Domestic Violence Content in Prelicensure Curriculum
- ♣ NCLEX Item Development Application
- Clinical Internship
- 194A.540 Training courses for mental health professionals and health-care providers

## October-November 2005

- Resource for Safety
- **♣** 1<sup>st</sup> Nursing Education Conference: Call for Proposals
- ♣ RN to PN: Role Delineation Course
- Clinical Internship—What New Graduates Need to Know
- ♣ Never Forget for a Moment how you change lives everyday!

- Clinical Instruction in Prelicensure Nursing Programs
- Teaching Immunization Delivery and Evaluation—An OnLine Interactive Educational Program
- Levaluating the Educational Uses of the Web in Nursing Programs Benchmarking Project

## December 2005

- Kentucky Nurse Educator Conference
- Nursing and Allied Health Professional Students' Legislative Day
- Nurse/Physician Collaboration
- ♣ AONE Endorses BSN as Entry Into Practice
- ♣ Calculation of NCLEX Pass Rates for 2005-2006 Academic Year
- Free CE on Pain Management Program
- ♣ CCNE Moves to Consider for Accreditation Only Practice Doctorates with the DNP Degree Title
- Dangerous Medical Abbreviations
- Positive Drug Screens on Nursing Students
- Kentucky Program of Nursing NCLEX Pass Rates Announced
- Clinical Internship Verification Form
- Nurse Practice Acts CE Courses

#### 2004

### January 2004

- NCLEX Results
- Kentucky Nursing Laws: A Self-Learning Packet
- **♣** Notification of Individual Candidate Results
- Facts About NCLEX: 2003 Nurse Licensure Examination Statistics

### April 2004

- ♣ NCSBN: Seeking feedback on Model Administrative Rules
- ♣ NCLEX Alternative Test Question Format--NCLEX-RN Test Plan What has changed?\
- ♣ Prelicensure Nursing Program—Nurse faculty/Clinical Instructor Record
- ♣ College of DuPage—Teaching Nursing: The Art and Science

### July 2004

- Annual Report
- Disaster Preparedness
- ♣ Are you ready for the next generation of Student?
- ♣ FAX on the 2004 NCLEX-RN Test Plan
- **KBN Forms**
- ♣ Kentucky Community Crisis Response Board—Prepare Your Agency & Community for Disasters, Terrorism & the Psychological After Effects
- Nurses Service Organization—Documentation 101
- ♣ Nurses Service Organization—RiskManagement 101

## August 2004

- Web site for nursing papers
- 4 "Think-Pair-Share" Learning Activity
- Psychology of Disaster & Terrorism TCCR Course
- KANS Annual Convention

## September 2004

- Faculty List for Fall Semester 2004
- Program Administrator Orientation
- NCLEX Update
- ♣ Impact of the New NCLEX-RN Test Plan on the Pass Rate of Candidates Educated Within Kentucky
- Prelicensure Nursing Program Nurse Faculty/Clinical Instructor Record

## November 2004

- Faculty Licensure
- Address Changes for Licensees
- Resources Available from CDC
- New NCLEX-PN Test Plan
- ♣ Call for Posters—Ohio League for Nursing Education Summit: Ohio 2005
- Nursing Law 2004—Ordering Kentucky Board of Nursing Publications

## December 2004

- ♣ NCLEX Booklets and Licensure Information for Graduating Students
- ♣ Who to Call with Questions About
- State of Kentucky Workforce Profile Highlights
- ♣ ANA Soliciting Nursing Schools Interested in Pilot-Testing Safe Patient Handling Curriculum Model
- Kentucky League for Nursing
- ♣ Kentucky Board of Nursing 2005 Conference—The Future of Nursing is Now!